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SUBJECT: SECOND DAY OF UN CONFERENCE ON REPRESENTATION OF STATES IN
THEIR RELATIONS WITH INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS (RSIO)--

1. SEE VIENNA 1004 FOR REPORTING ON PLENARY DEBATE
RE PRG REPRESENTATION.

2. IN BRIEF WEO MEETING CONVENED IN EARLY AFTERNOON
FEB 5 SIR VINCENT EVANS (UK) ANNOUNCED LIST OF CANDIDATES
FOR CONFERENCE OFFICES AND COMMITTEES. HE STATED THAT
HIS CONSULTATION SUGGESTED THAT THERE WAS SUFFICIENT
SUPPORT (INCLUDING INDIA AND NIGERIA) FOR ARTICLE BY
ARTICLE CONSIDERATION RATHER THAN SUBJECT GROUPINGS
SUGGESTED BY SECRETARIAT. DUTCH REP SAID HIS DEL
WOULD PROPOSE BROADENING APPLICATION OF CONVENTION
(ART. 2) TO ALL INTERGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS, NOT
JUST THOSE OF UNIVERSAL CHARACTER, UPON DECISION OF
ORGANIZATION IN QUESTION AND WITH CONSENT OF HOST
STATE-SPANISH REP NOTED THAT HIS DEL WOULD SUGGEST
DELETION OF ART. 2.

3. IN AFTERNOON SESSION CONFERENCE ELECTED 22 (US)
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VICE PRESIDENTS INCLUDING CHILE IN SPITE OF OBJECTION

OF CUBAN REP. (LA CAUCUS HELD SECRET BALLOT IN PUTTING FORWARD ITS FOUR CANDIDATES FOR FOUR V.P. POSITION. CHILE, MEXICO, PANAMA AND VENEZUELA WERE CHOSEN AND INDEED APPEARED TO BE ONLY CANDIDATES FOR THESE POSITIONS.) NETTLE OF AUSTRIA WAS CHOSEN CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE OF WHOLE WHILE SOGBETUM OF NIGERIA WAS PICKED CHAIRMAN OF DRAFTING COMMITTEE.

4. NINE MEMBER CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE WAS ANNOUNCED BY SETTE CAMARA: BELGIUM, CAMEROON, ECUADOR, GUATEMALA, HUNGARY, IVORY COAST, PHILIPPINES, THAILAND, AND U.S..

5. GENERAL COMMITTEE--U.S., UK, LIBERIA, FRANCE, NETHERLANDS, ITALY, ARGUED FOR ARTICLE BY ARTICLE DISCUSSION OF DRAFT CONVENTION AS BETTER APPROACH WHILE SOVIETS AND BULGARIANS PUSHED FOR SUBJECT GROUPING ALONG LINES PROPOSED BY SECRETARIAT. COMMITTEE FINALLY AGREED ESSENTIALLY TO APPROACH PROPOSED BY U.S. ET AL (SEE PARA 7).

6. COMMITTEE OF WHOLE RECONVENED TO ELECT WERSCHOOF (CANADA) AS ITS VICE PRESIDENT AND KLAFKOSKY (POLAND) AS RAPPORTEUR.

7. PLENARY RECONVENED AND PRESIDENT ANNOUNCED COMPOSITION OF DRAFTING COMMITTEE CONSISTING OF (IN ADDITION TO NIGERIA AND POLAND--CHAIRMAN AND RAPPORTEUR): ARGENTINA, FRANCE, IRAQ, MOROCCO, NETHERLAND, PAKISTAN, PERU, SWITZERLAND, USSR, UK, TANZANIA, U.S. PRESIDENT THEN STATED THAT CONSIDERATION OF CONVENTION WOULD PROCEED ARTICLE BY ARTICLE BUT THAT METHODS OF WORK SUGGESTED BY SECRETARIAT IN DOC. A/CONF. 67/3 WOULD BE "PUT TO CONVENIENT USE". HUMES

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